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1. FOLLOWING ARE COST QUOTATIONS FOR TRADE CENTER MODIFICATIONS AND CORRECTIONS PER MOORE LETTER OF APRIL 12.

FRONT DOUBLE DOOR AND LIGHTING \$1,892.56

LAMINATING HARDWOOD TEAK PAPER \$1,497.40

SUBTOTAL..... \$3,389.96

OVERHEAD AND PROFIT 20 PCT 677.04

GRAND TOTAL...... \$4,067.00

- 2. ADDITIONAL DOOR FOR REAR FREIGHT ENTRANCE IS ALSO REQUIRED BUT COULD BE CONSTRUCYED CHEAPLY WITH WOOD FOR \$125.
- 3. TRADE CENTER ALSO REQUIRES ON-SITE STORAGE AND WORK AREW. STORWGE BUILDING OF CINDER BLOCK COULD BE BUILT IN CORNER OF REAR YARD FOR ABOUT \$4,000.
- 4. VINYL IS BEGINNING TO SHOW EFFECTS OF CONSTRUCTION DURING COLD WEATHER. RED SPOTS HAVE APPEARED ON ONE COLUMN, CAUSE UNKNOWN. ALSO, ONE LARGE TEAR HAS OCCURED IN LOUNGE. ONE ROLL UNCLASSIFIED

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OF VINYL IS OF DIFFERENT WHITE SHADE THAN REST, BUT FORTUNA-

TELY THIS IS IN LOUNGE RATHER THAN IN MAIN DISPLAY AREA.
VINYL WILL HAVE TO BE REDONE, AND WE RECOMMEND THAT ALL EXISTING
VINYL AREAS BE RECOVERED AFTER THE MONSOON SEASON. WE
THEREFORE STRONGLY URGE THAT COMMERCE ORDER NOW SAME WHITE
SHADING OF VINYL AND FOR SAME QUANTITY PLUS 10 PCT EXTRA.

5. WE UNDERSTAND THAO DISTEFANO MAY BE ABLZ TO MAKE SIDE TRIP TO KOREA DURING HIS WORK ON TOKYO TRADE CENTER. WE LOOK FORWARD TO CONSULTING WITH HIM ON ABOVE WORK. PLEASE ADVISE ETA. HABIB

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